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**Inventor(s): Nunes, et al.**

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**Serial No.: 09/939,237**

**Group Art Unit: 1761**

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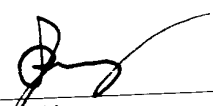
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Dear Sir:

In response to the July 11, 2003 Office Action, the following amendments and response is submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments: begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks / Arguments: begin on page 4 of this paper.